

DENVER ISOLATED BY HEAVY SNOW STORM
DENVER, Col., Jan. 25.—The heaviest snow storm of the winter embracing many points in the Rocky Mountain region isolated Denver and other points from telegraph and telephone communication for a time yesterday.

According to the weather bureau, the storm swept south from Cheyenne, Wyoming, over Colorado, northern New Mexico, and east into Kansas and central Nebraska, and north to North and South Dakota. The storm center was off Gofland, Kan.

FINDS HONEST ROBBER WITH HUNGRY FAMILY
SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Jan. 25.—F. D. Hass, railroad yardmaster, who was held up and robbed of \$12, declared today that he had discovered an honest thief when he found the following note at his office:

"I'm the fellow who robbed you. I was broke and out of a job and my wife and kids were going hungry. But I got a job here and as soon as I got a little money ahead I will return what I stole from you."

Hass said if he knew who the

man was he'd give him "another \$12 for being so honest."

PRETTY GIRL AND \$2,500 VANISH; YOUTH GONE, TOO
NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 25.—Pretty nineteen-year-old Annie M. Gibbs is sought by the police here on a charge of systematically stealing \$2,500 from E. B. Hunter and Company, where she was employed. She has been missing for ten days.

A young man with whom she was on friendly terms disappeared about the same time she did. Her mother is being sued for \$10,000 to cover the company's losses.

PASTORS CALL STYLES MORAL
Modern Dress Not Immodest, But Is Menace to eHealth, They Say.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—The clergy do not agree on women's attire, although the majority do not flay feminine fashions as being immodest, but say that if women do err they do so against health rather than against morals.

DRESS COMFORTABLE.
Thus a jury of nearly 1,200 clergymen, asked by the women's dress committee to judge women's clothes disagreed.

Women's waists should cover their necks "unless they want to get pneumonia," advises the Rev. M. G. Kyle, professor of Xenia United Presbyterian Seminary, St. Louis.

Skirts that do not gather up the dirt of the streets are favored by the Rev. Herbert E. Benton, pastor of the Universalist Church of the Messiah.

"But such abbreviation of the skirt should be guided by good judgment," he adds. "It can be and usually is done in a manner as to warrant no charge of immodesty."

Bishop L. J. Coppin summed up his views in this succinct fashion:

"Women should dress to be comfortable."

STYLES DANGEROUS.
Another clergyman voices his disapproval of women exposing their bosoms as "unhygienic and dangerous." He condemns tight lacing and urges more protection from the knees to the ankles.

"As to modesty," he says, "I do not remember ever meeting any lady on the Philadelphia streets whose attire struck me as immodest."

John R. Geraghty, chairman of the dress reform committee, today said: "Disagreement" is the verdict of the clergy-jury on dress.

"I can find you a large number of clergymen who believe women wearing present styles are advance agents of the devil," he said. "And for every such opinion I can find another preacher who says women's clothes are all right. The decision of the committee is, we do not know any more than before we sent the queries to the 1,160 clergymen. We had replies from fifteen different faiths."

The Rev. John R. Hart, jr., Episcopal chaplain at the University of Pennsylvania and secretary of the Christian Association, has been appointed to represent the clergymen in the designing of gowns which are to be shown at the "Bizarre" to be held February 5.

ORGESCH CHIEF DEFIES FRANCE
Head of German "Home Guard" System Says No Power Can Disband Men.

By FRANK E. MASON, International News Service.

BERLIN, June 24.—"Neither France nor Germany can legally disband the Orgesch and we have no intention of breaking up our protective league."

This declaration of defiance was made today by Councillor George Escherich, organizer and commander of the Bavarian Einwohnerwehr, and also president of the Orgesch.

CHARGE MONARCHISTS AIMS.
The Orgesch is the group name of a series of organizations in Germany which were formed to work for "the preservation of national interests." It is widely charged that the real object of the Orgesch is to attempt to reestablish the monarchy.

Dr. Escherich is one of the most talked about and most written about men in Germany today. The French press paints him as an ultra-militarist, who is threatening a new war. The German radicals accuse him of being an arch-conspirator in the movements to restore the monarchy. Dr. Escherich outlined the aims of the Orgesch as follows:

"If France orders and Wilhelmstrasse attempts to dissolve the Orgesch, they will find it impossible because the league is protected by the clause guaranteeing general rights in the constitution. It in no way violates the treaty of Versailles. We have won legal test cases in the courts of Breslau and Stettin. The Prussian minister of justice has laid down a decision that he cannot forbid the Orgesch because it is an unarmed society and entirely within the law."

"JUST HOME GUARDS."
"Propagandists have intentionally caused confusion by mixing up two such organizations, the Bavarian Einwohnerwehr and the Orgesch. The Bavarian Einwohnerwehr is an organization of authorized civil guards similar to the home guards of the United States in war time, but the members wear no uniform. They are military beyond the extent of the national guard in America."

"The Orgesch is a national civil organization. Its purpose is to assemble our whole national strength for the peaceful building of Germany in defense against Bolshevism. The only connection between the two is that I am chief of the Bavarian Einwohnerwehr and president of the Orgesch."

HAS 1,000,000 MEMBERS.
"The Orgesch numbers more than 1,000,000 members, who are obligated to support the German constitution. The other obligations upon them might be summarized as follows:

"Protection of life and property."
"Fight the sessionists."
"Maintain order and fight revolution, no matter whether it comes from Bolsheviks or reactionaries."
"Another revolution would be a crime against the German people. I know certain monarchist circles are attacking me because I refused to join Kapp last March and also because, in several instances, the Orgesch acted as a brake to call to order irresponsible hot heads who were talking revolution."

AGAINST ANY VIOLENCE.
"We stand by the state and against any violence, no matter whether it comes from reds or royalists. We have proved that the best insurance against Bolshevism is to mass the citizens with high consciousness of civic duty into a firm defensive block."

Dr. Escherich was asked if he looked for more Bolshevik disorders. He replied:

"I see a future that is very dark. Only the re-awakening of the people's consciousness to their duty and to one another can prevent a renewal of social warfare."

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24-inch size, with brass snap and lock, light and durable. Women's favorite. At \$1.79.

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TIMES HARD IN MEXICO, AMERICANS ARE TOLD

Americans who went to Mexico in the belief that an era of easy money would follow the stabilization of conditions under de la Huerta and Obregon, have been disillusioned, and many of them have become charges upon their more fortunate countrymen, who, through longer residence or greater capital have succeeded in establishing themselves there.

Reports received today from the American Consul General at Mexico City, convey the information and recommend that no Americans come to Mexico unless they are provided with sufficient funds to purchase a return ticket, in case they fail to find the pot of gold many of them seem to expect.

"ONE-QUART VIOLATOR" LOSES VIRGINIA APPEAL

Charles S. Sichel, convicted and sentenced in Virginia for bringing into that State more than one quart of liquor a month in violation of a State law, yesterday lost his appeal to the United States Supreme Court for relief from the sentence. The court held it had no jurisdiction in the case.

The supreme court of appeals of Virginia sustained the judgment of the hustings court of the city of Richmond which sentenced Sichel to one year in jail and a fine of \$50 for alleged violation of the State prohibition law in bringing into the State more than one quart in a period of thirty days. The sufficiency and validity of the indictment was challenged in the appeal to the United States Supreme Court.

MOVING STAIR INVENTOR BLOWS OUT HIS BRAINS

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Max Eberhard, Smyth, seventy-two, who designed the Eads bridge across the Mississippi at St. Louis and the Eads breakwater below New Orleans, ended his life by shooting himself at his home here yesterday. His wife said she knew of no reason which might have prompted the act.

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